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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

The following Amendments and Remarks are submitted for entry into U.S. Patent Application, Serial No. 10/067,040 filed on February 4, 2002.

AMENDMENTS

In the Specification

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121(b)(1)(iii), Attachment B contains marked up versions of the replacement paragraphs illustrating the newly introduced changes in the specification.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on Page 1, line 11 with the following amended paragraph:

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This application relates to co-pending United States patent application Serial No. 10/067,074, attorney docket number P7225, filed on February 4, 2002, entitled "Remote Services Message System to Support Redundancy of Data Flow" and naming Michael J. Wookey, Trevor Watson and Jean Chouanard as inventors, the application being incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

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